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1. The following unconfirmed information was received via Warsaw:
  - a. The MVD guards in the Kremlin have been replaced by ordinary military guards, commanded by an army general. Similarly MVD guards have been replaced in the Moscow Government offices by ordinary military guards. Hitherto an MVD general has been in charge of the Moscow Commandatura (Moscow City); now an army general is in charge.
  - b. In all major Soviet ports visited by foreign ships, the frontier guards who control foreign ships on their arrival, have been provided with Geiger counters. It is expected that this will also be done in Szczecin, Gdynia and Danzig.

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